PATENT APPLICATION

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INSTALLATION/REMOVAL TOOL FOR BASKET STRAINERS

ABSTRACT

A basket strainer installation/removal tool has an internally threaded cylindrical passageway extending therethrough. A threaded shaft extends through the internally threaded passageway and has a conical cam at the lower end thereof. The conical cam forces radially extending cylindrical cams outwardly against the action of an elastomeric band encircling the lower end of the body to secure the tool into engagement with a basket strainer.